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## GERMANY.

*Report from Berlin—Plague and cholera in various countries.*BERLIN, GERMANY, *October 27, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith the latest information regarding plague and cholera, obtained from the imperial health office (Kaiserliches-Gesundheitsamt) at Berlin:

*Plague.*

RUSSIA.—During the period from September 30 to October 7 there were registered in Odessa 5 new plague cases and 1 death.

TURKEY.—The 18-year-old waiter, attacked with plague in Smyrna, died on the sixth day of his illness.

According to a report, dated September 17, from Syria, it appears that in the district of Beni-Cheir 9 plague cases and 8 deaths have been recorded.

EGYPT.—During the period from October 3 to October 10 no fresh cases of plague have been recorded. Only in Alexandria were 4 plague patients still under treatment on October 10. On October 11, however, 1 new case of plague was registered in Alexandria.

BRITISH INDIA.—In the Bombay Presidency between September 21 and September 27 there occurred 9,931 plague cases and 7,443 deaths—that is to say, 682 cases and 712 deaths more than during the foregoing week. In the city of Bombay 78 plague cases and 63 deaths were recorded; in the town and port of Karachi there occurred 19 cases and 13 deaths.

MAURITIUS.—During the period from August 8 to September 4 there were registered 6 plague cases with 5 deaths.

MOZAMBIQUE.—In Magude, according to a report dated September 15, 2 cases of suspected plague have been registered.

CAPE COLONY.—During the period from August 17 to September 13, according to the official bulletins, no fresh plague cases have occurred in the colony, but dead rats which have succumbed to plague are still found from time to time in Port Elizabeth.

*Plague and cholera.*

BRITISH INDIA.—In Calcutta, during the week ended September 13, 6 deaths from plague and 10 deaths from cholera were recorded.

Respectfully, FRANK H. MASON, *United States Consul-General.*  
The SURGEON-GENERAL.

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RUSSIA.—According to the official reports published in the Government Gazette (Regierungs-Anzeiger) of October 9, there occurred in the Amur district between September 29 and October 5, 22 fresh cholera cases, of which 3 cases occurred on river steamships; the remaining 19 cases were distributed as follows: Blagoweschtschensk, 1; Nikolajewsk, 1; Vladivostock, 8, and Chabrowsk, 9. The total number of cases recorded in the Amur district since the outbreak of the disease amounts to 1,183, of which 888 (75 per cent), occurred in the 3 most important towns of this territory, Blagoweschtschensk, Vladivostock, and Chaba-